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Examiner Park,

We have reviewed the changes to the claim amendments that you propose for Application Serial No. 08/447,447. As we discussed, the applicants maintain that claims 4-8 and 61, which you propose to cancel, are patentable and in proper form for the reasons set forth in my April 1, 2010 email. We appear to have reached an impasse regarding the patentability of these claims. Applicants propose to accept your changes to the claim amendments including the cancellation of claims 4-8 and 61, with the understanding that applicants may pursue this claimed subject matter in the form of claims 4-8 and 61 in the corresponding "B" application.

Attached is a updated copy of the proposed claim amendments. This draft makes minor changes to independent claim 44 and conforms the dependent claims to the amendments proposed for the independent claims. These amendments may be made by examiner's amendment, should you determine that they are in condition for allowance. Thank you again for your help with this matter.

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